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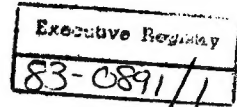
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31 March 1983

Mr. Henry O. Dormann  
President & Editor-in-Chief  
Leaders  
59 East 54th Street  
New York, NY 10022

Dear Mr. Dormann:

Director William J. Casey has asked me to send the article that you requested for the section in the next issue of Leaders magazine titled "In Defense of the World."

Enclosed you will find Mr. Casey's article titled "The Threat," along with a color photograph of him as your office requested.

We look forward to reading the next issue of Leaders magazine and wish you every success with your informative publication.

Sincerely,



Charles E. Wilson  
Chief, Public Affairs

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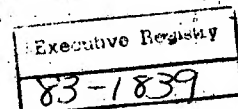
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31 March 1983

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence  
FROM: Charles E. Wilson  
Chairman, Publications Review Board  
SUBJECT: Completed PRB Review - The Threat (830-83)

The PRB has completed without security objection its review of the above submission. It has been forwarded for publication in Leaders magazine.

[Redacted Signature]

Charles E. Wilson

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28 February 1983

MEMORANDUM FOR: See Attached Distribution List

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SUBJECT:

A Proposed Unclassified Article for  
Leaders: The Threat

1. The DCI plans to submit an unclassified article for Leaders magazine, July 1983. I pulled together a first draft drawing from the World Wide Briefing (introduction and wrap-up) and added examples drawn from the testimonies of the NIOs and other DDI personnel.

2. Please review the attached draft to determine if the parts relevant to your expertise can go out unclassified. Make changes or deletions you believe necessary. Until that has been done, I am treating this draft as a secret document. You are also invited to add unclassified material to fill any voids you identify.

3. Please return this draft with your suggested changes by noon Thursday, 3 March 1983.

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SUBJECT: A Proposed Unclassified Article for Leaders: The Threat

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## Remarks:

Please consult with DCI re: Mr. Dammann's renewed request that the DCI prepare an article to his publication

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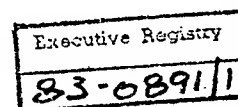
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18 February 1983

Honorable William Casey  
Director  
The Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear Bill:

I've just received the enclosed note from President Reagan which will be the introduction to our special section "In Defense of the World" which will be published in July.

As I wrote to you before, The White House and the Defense Department suggested the enclosed list of authors. We are doing this with the close cooperation of The White House and the Defense Department because of our large readership on the Hill and because we all believe in a strong defense for the nation.

I remember when I first invited you to join my Board at the Library of Presidential Papers, and, as you know, we have a great many mutual friends.

Because of the importance of this issue, I would like very much to once again suggest that we have some words from you which we would like to include in this July issue. Your communications staff has called my Managing Editor to say that you do not normally do this type of thing because of the nature of your post. You and I both know that one does what one wants, and your predecessors have written articles on numerous occasions in general and occasionally for newspapers and magazines which I own.

I'm not asking you to disclose any secrets but I do think this should be an exception.

If you feel that clearance from The White House is necessary, please let me know and I will ask the President

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Honorable William Casey  
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to approve, although I think that is already tacit in the suggestion of you as an author and in what he has written in his enclosed message.

I would appreciate very much your reconsideration and I look forward to hearing from you.

Cordially yours,



HENRY O. DÖRMANN  
President & Editor-in-Chief

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

December 14, 1982

In a world threatened by totalitarianism and tested by terrorism, few developments could prove more ominous for the security, peace, and freedom of this nation than ignoring or rationalizing the dangers that confront us. We cannot build a secure future on misinformation, weakness, or the abdication of our leadership responsibilities. It is essential for us to assess the global situation realistically, giving careful consideration to the profound changes that have taken place in the international environment and the military balance of power over the past several decades. By achieving a clear understanding of the challenges before us, America can be confident of maintaining an unshakable consensus for the provision of adequate defenses to maintain our freedom, independence, and security in this precarious period of world history.

I am grateful to the editors and authors of this volume of Leaders. Because of the contributions you are making, your readership will better recognize and understand world developments and their significance for our country.

Congratulations on this most worthwhile and important effort.

Ronald Reagan

# LEADERS

IN DEFENSE OF THE WORLD:  
A SPECIAL REPORT ON THE NEED FOR A STRONG DEFENSE  
TO SAVE THE PEACE  
JULY 1983

1. An Introduction by President Ronald Reagan  
of the United States
2. "An Overall View"  
The Honorable Caspar W. Weinberger  
Secretary of Defense
3. "The Military Overview"  
General John W. Vessey, Jr. USA,  
Chairman, The Joint Chiefs of Staff
4. "The Pacific Perspective"  
Admiral Robert L. Long, USN  
Commander-in-Chief, Pacific Command
5. "The European Perspective"  
General Bernard W. Rogers, USA  
Commander-in-Chief, U.S. European Command
6. "The Threat"  
Mr. William Casey  
Director  
The Central Intelligence Agency
7. "NATO'S View"  
The Right Honourable John Nott  
Secretary of State for Defense
8. "The Defense of Asia"  
The Honorable Song Min Yun  
Minister of National Defense, Korea
9. "The Congressional View"  
The Honorable Melvin Price  
Chairman  
The House Armed Services Committee  
The United States House of Representatives
10. "Labor's View"  
Mr. Lane Kirkland  
President  
AFL-CIO
11. "The Industry View/Research and Development"  
Mr. John S. Foster  
Vice President, Science and Technology  
TRW, Inc.

MEMORANDUM FOR:

Mr. Stevens telephoned me one day last week saying they had not received a response to the 4 November 1982 letter.

Requested that he send a copy of the letter which has now been received.

How do we handle?

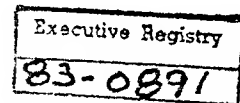
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4 November 1982

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Mr. William Casey  
Director  
The Central Intelligence Agency  
Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear Bill:

After the publication of this enclosed issue with President Reagan's exclusive article and the section on the Navy, The White House expressed an interest that LEADERS Magazine ought to publish a major report, "In Defense of the World," which would give an overview regarding the importance of a strong defense in order to keep the peace.

In many areas, the press has not made great efforts to bring a fuller understanding to the public in this regard, and it was felt that perhaps we could tell the true side of the story.

Many of the public in various nations do not understand that defense expenditures also keep people working in defense industries and add to the economies of the nations.

Enclosed is a list of those who will be writing for this special report which will be published in our July issue.

We would like very much to extend an invitation to you to be a part of this "In Defense of the World" report. The article would be short, 1,500 words, should you be kind enough to agree and it should deal with the topic, "The Threat."



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Mr. William Casey  
4 November 1982  
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If this special report is done well, I believe it can do immeasurable good towards the understanding of a strong defense throughout the west and throughout the world itself.

I'll look forward to your kind thoughts.

Cordially yours,

HENRY O. DORMANN  
President & Editor-in-Chief

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